

**CITY OF SEWARD**  
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February 2, 2004

Harold C. Heinze  
Chief Executive Officer  
Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority  
411 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Ave  
Anchorage, AK 99501

Re: Barging LNG to coastal communities.

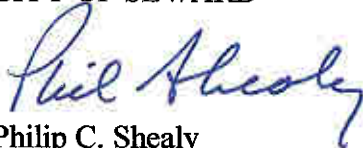
Dear Mr. Heinze,

Enclosed please find a copy of resolution 2004-11 supporting efforts by the Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority maximizing benefits to Alaskans by barging liquefied natural gas to coastal communities. This resolution was unanimously approved by the city council of Seward, Alaska on Monday, January 26, 2004.

We believe "bottle barges" or tanks built on barges to contain LNG could transport such gas as far south as Ketchikan or as far north as Kotzebue. This would be particularly beneficial to coastal communities stranded from traditional gas supplies and is an important consideration to developing programs maximizing benefits to all Alaskans.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter and efforts to include barging as part of your business concepts.

Sincerely,  
CITY OF SEWARD

  
Philip C. Shealy  
City Manager

Enclosure

**CITY OF SEWARD, ALASKA  
RESOLUTION 2004-11**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEWARD,  
ALASKA, SUPPORTING EFFORTS BY THE ALASKA NATURAL GAS  
DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY MAXIMIZING BENEFITS TO ALASKANS  
BY BARGING LIQUEFIED NATURAL GAS TO COASTAL COMMUNITIES**

**WHEREAS**, the Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority is charged with developing a plan for a liquefied natural gas (LNG) project maximizing its benefits to Alaskans; and

**WHEREAS**, an Alaskan LNG project is economically viable as infrastructure providing significant benefit values by providing an ideal fuel for rural Alaska that is safe and easy to use; and

**WHEREAS**, developing an LNG Project for coastal communities stranded from traditional gas supplies is integral to the economics of delivering gas throughout Alaska; and

**WHEREAS**, "bottle barges" or tanks built on barges to contain LNG could transport LNG to Alaska communities as far south as Ketchikan or as far north as Kotzebue.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEWARD, ALASKA, that:**

**Section 1.** The City supports barging liquefied natural gas to Alaskan coastal communities as part of the Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority's business concepts.

**Section 2.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the City Council of the City of Seward, Alaska, this 26th day of January, 2004.

**THE CITY OF SEWARD, ALASKA**

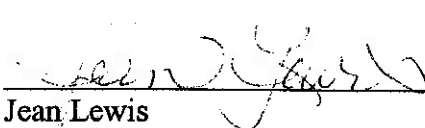
  
Vanta Shafer, Vice Mayor

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AYES: Dunham, Branson, Amberg, Valdatta, Clark, Shafer  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: Brossow  
ABSTAIN: None

**ATTEST:**

  
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Jean Lewis  
City Clerk

(City Seal)

